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**RESPONSE AND AMENDMENT TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

Director of the United States Patent  
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Dear Sir:

In response to the final Office Action dated June 2, 2006, Applicants submit the following response with amendments. A request for Continued Examination accompany this response.

**Amendments** to claims begin at page 2.

**Remarks** begin at page 4.